

**DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES**

744 P Street, Sacramento, California 95814



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ALL COUNTY INFORMATION NOTICE NO. I-57-06

TO: ALL COUNTY WELFARE DIRECTORS  
ALL COUNTY FOSTER CARE SUPERVISORS  
ALL COUNTY ADOPTION SUPERVISORS  
ALL COUNTY FOSTER CARE EDUCATION PROJECT COORDINATORS  
THE CHANCELOR'S OFFICE OF CALIFORNIA COMMUNITY COLLEGES  
CALIFORNIA STATE FOSTER PARENT ASSOCIATION  
CALIFORNIA STATE CARE PROVIDERS ASSOCIATION  
COUNTY AB 2129 PROJECT COORDINATORS OF  
THE CALIFORNIA COMMUNITY COLLEGES  
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ALL COUNTY FISCAL OFFICERS  
CALIFORNIA STATE OFFICE OF THE FOSTER CARE OMBUDSMAN

SUBJECT: RESOURCE FAMILY RECRUITMENT, TRAINING AND RETENTION  
ANNUAL REPORT, STATE FISCAL YEAR 2004/2005

**REASON FOR THIS TRANSMITTAL**

- ☐ State Law Change  
☐ Federal Law or Regulation Change  
☐ Court Order  
☐ Clarification Requested by  
One or More Counties  
☒ Initiated by CDSS

The California Department of Social Services' (CDSS) Child and Youth Permanency Branch would like to thank those counties that submitted input to the Resource Family Recruitment, Training and Retention Annual Report for State Fiscal Year 2004/2005. This statewide report represents data collected and compiled regarding county foster and adoptive parent recruitment, training and retention accomplishments achieved during the period July 1, 2004 through June 30, 2005. The report includes a summary of the data, as well as statewide and regional charts and graphs.

A copy of the report can be obtained through CDSS and the Children and Family Services Division websites at the following addresses:  
[www.dss.cahwnet.gov/cdssweb/default.htm](http://www.dss.cahwnet.gov/cdssweb/default.htm) and [www.childsworld.ca.gov/FosterCare\\_1349.htm](http://www.childsworld.ca.gov/FosterCare_1349.htm).  
This information reflects best practices that will be useful to the State and counties in the recruitment, training and retention of resource families.

The Resource Family Recruitment Training and Retention Survey for State Fiscal Year 2005/2006 will soon be released to counties. Further information and instructions for completing that survey will be provided to counties under separate cover.

If you have any questions, please contact Glenn Freitas, Interim Chief of the Child and Youth Permanency Branch at (916) 651-7464.

Sincerely,

**Original Document Signed By:**

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Children and Family Services Division